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222nd Multiple Drunk Driving Offender Faces Felony OWI-3rd with Minor Under Age 16 in Car

Milwaukee, WI – Milwaukee County Sheriff's deputies arrested Jose A. Garcia, age 53, for his third drunk driving offense at 2:30 a.m. today. He was driving with a 10-year-old child in the car on northbound I-43 at Holt Avenue.

If convicted of the charge of OWI-3rd with Minor Under Age of 16, he faces a maximum two years imprisonment.

There is a need for stricter sentencing for repeat offenders. Sheriff Clarke noted at a news conference on Thursday that there is a judicial leniency problem that enables the revolving door to continue to put these repeat drunk drivers back on the road to one day needlessly kill someone.

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